

The DNA of Graffiti!

Did you know?

1. People started drawing on walls ... hundreds of years ago. thousands of years ago. a few years ago.
2. In Ancient Rome or Ancient Greece, wall creations were often ... poetry. portraits. comic imitations.
3. Modern graffiti was born thanks to the spread of walls. tags. art forms.

1 What is graffiti?



1 Where was this graffiti drawn? Circle the right words.



- elevated railway
- traffic lights
- red brick
- cables
- dense
- urban
- buildings
- warehouse
- train wagon
- steel
- track

2 Fill in the text with the words below.

- colourful
- graffiti
- urban
- photograph

This is a photograph representing an urban scene. The main element is the elevated railway. The most colourful part of the photograph is the train wagon because it is entirely covered in graffiti.

3 Describe the different parts of the picture using the words to make sentences.

- a) picture / horizontal / vertical lines → The picture is composed of horizontal and vertical lines.
- b) background / buildings / red brick → In the background, there are red brick buildings.
- c) foreground / metal / bridge → In the foreground, there is a metal bridge.
- d) graffiti / hand / earth → The graffiti represents a hand (going) out of the earth.

4 For each type of graffiti, colour the right portion of the train.

- a) Whole car.
- b) Whole train.
- c) Top to bottom.
- d) End to end.
- e) Married couple.